Mountain Weather Forecast

North Grampian

Including North and West Cairngorms National Park, Monadhliath, Ben Alder, Creag Meagaidh, Loch Ericht and Loch Rannoch
Forecast valid from 06:00 on Wednesday 28 Jun 2023 until 23:59 on Thursday 29 Jun 2023

Forecast Issued on Wednesday 28 Jun 2023 at 03:36 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High for continuing unsettled conditions with rain and showers but moderate for precipitation detail.

Headline for Wednesday 28 Jun 2023: Becoming cloudy with outbreaks of rain.

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 28 Jun 2023

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
High Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Heavy Rain	Cloudy	Cloudy	Sunny intervals
Precipitation probability					
<05%	20%	70%	40%	40%	10%

Forecast for Wednesday 28 Jun 2023

Weather: A bright start but cloud increasing with a period of heavy rain around the middle of the day. The rain then turns lighter and patchier through the afternoon. The rain then clears east through the evening with some late brightness developing.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: Around 75% falling to around 25% for a time around the middle of the day.

Low cloud and visibility: Occasional cloud above 600-750m becoming periods above 450m for a time around the middle of the day. Away from the cloud visibility will be good falling to several kilometres in rain.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	15/18 W	13/17 W	12/16 W	11/15 W	14/19 W	16/21 W	14/19 W
900	13/16 SW	12/16 SW	10/14 W	11/15 W	11/16 W	12/17 W	11/14 SW
600	10/13 SW	9/14 SW	8/13 W	9/13 W	10/14 W	8/13 W	8/11 SW
300	5/9 SW	7/13 SW	6/11 SW	7/13 W	5/10 W	4/10 W	4/10 SW
Glen	2/7 SW	5/12 SW	4/10 SW	5/12 W	4/12 W	3/12 W	2/9 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	5/0	6/2	6/2	6/3	5/1	4/-1	2/-3
900	8/4	9/6	8/6	9/7	8/6	7/4	5/2
600	10/8	11/10	11/9	12/10	11/9	10/8	8/6
300	13/12	14/13	13/12	14/13	14/13	11/11	8/7
Glen	11/12	15/14	14/14	15/15	15/14	12/11	7/8
Freezing Level*	3300m	3100m	2300m	2300m	2000m	1700m	1600m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Conditions will feel cooler than of late and navigation will be difficult at height in low cloud and rain, slowly improving towards the evening.

Forecast for Thursday 29 Jun 2023
Weather: Cloudy with sunny spells and a few showers, these mainly in the morning.

Maximum wind: West 20-25mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 800m: 40% becoming 60% from the afternoon.

Low cloud and visibility: Occasional cloud with base 400-600m becomes occasional with base 1000-1200m during the middle of the day before increasing and lowering 400-600m again towards the evening.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 8 Celsius rising Plus 17 Celsius
At 800m: Plus 8 Celsius
Freezing level: Above summits

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